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**PATENT**

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Attorney Docket: SHG-037P2

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Sir:

**PAYMENT OF DEFICIENCY OF FILING FEE**

An error was noted on the Filing Receipt (copy attached) issued in the above-identified application. Specifically, the "Filing Fee Received" has been erroneously recorded.

The "Filing Fee Received" as shown on the Filing Receipt is incorrectly shown as "\$900". The correct "Filing Fee Received" should be "\$1,260". Applicants have discovered that the Multiple Dependent Claim fee of \$360 for a large entity was

inadvertently not paid with the original Filing Fee. Applicants have also attached a copy of the PTO's Patent Application Fee Determination Record (Form PTO-875) and a copy of the PTO's Fee Record Sheet showing that the multiple dependent claim fee was not charged (Form PTO-1556).

The present application has a total of 9 claims of which 3 are independent. Claims 7 and 9 have multiple dependencies. A copy of the claims as filed in the above-referenced application is attached.

Attached is a check for \$360 for the deficiency owed for multiple dependent claims. If any other fees are deemed necessary, these may be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-3000.

Respectfully submitted,

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